GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4514
ANSWERED ON:29.03.2017
Rail Coach Factories
Chauhan Shri Nihal Chand

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of rail coach, diesel and electric engine factories functioning in the country at present;

(b) the number of coaches, diesel and electric engines built during the last two years; and

(c) whether the Government has received any proposal from Rajasthan or other States to set up rail coach, diesel and electric engine factories and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)
(a) to (c) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

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STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4514 BY SHRI NIHAL CHAND TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 29.03.2017 REGARDING RAIL COACH FACTORIES

(a) Presently three Rail Coach Factories, two Diesel Locomotive factories and an Electric Locomotive Factory are functioning in the country under Ministry of Railways.
(b) The number of coaches, diesel and electric engines built during the last two years in these factories are given below:-

Year	Coaches	Diesel Engines	Electric Engines
2014-15	3314	355	250
2015-16	3978	341	280

(c) An MoU has been signed by Indian Railways and Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) for setting up of Mainline Electrical Multiple Unit (MEMU) coach factory at Bhilwara in Rajasthan. In view of changed requirement of MEMU coaches, the above matter is, however, being revisited. Another proposal from Gujarat Infrastructure Development has been received for setting up high speed rolling stock manufacturing unit in Gujarat State.
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